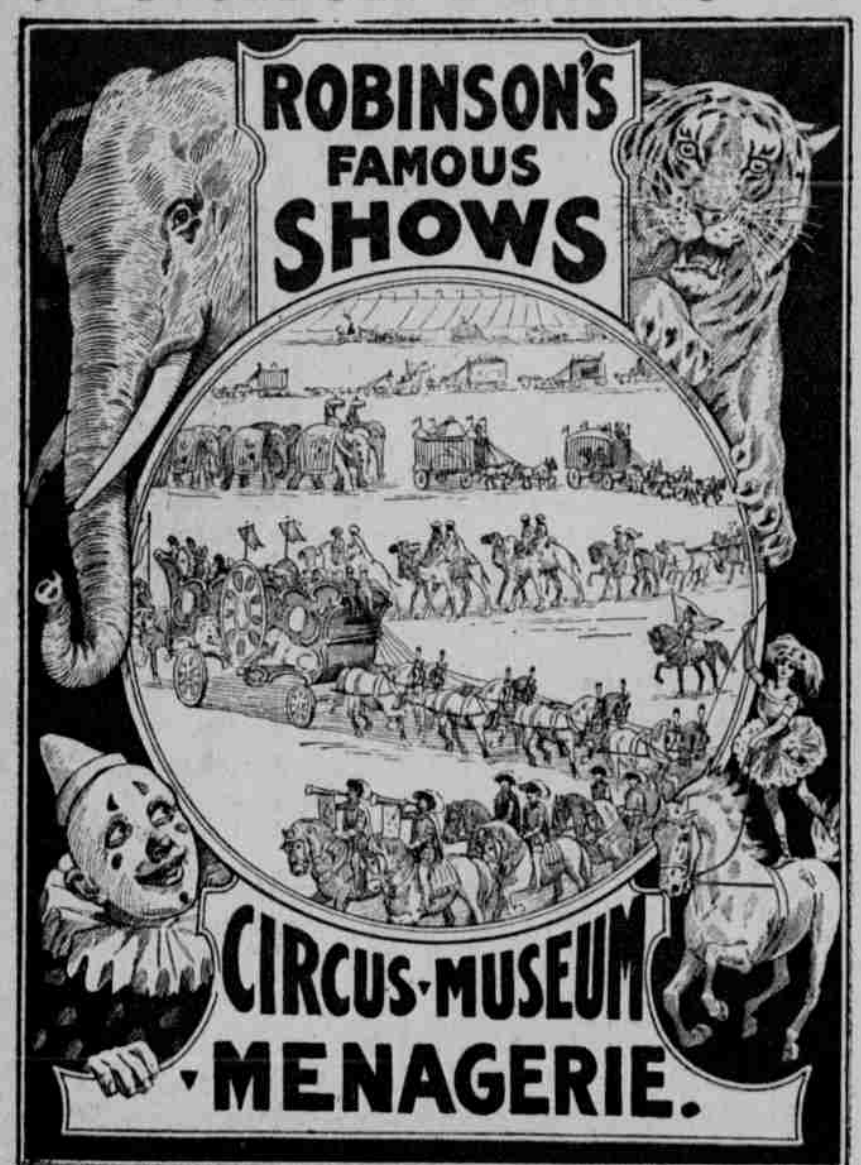


# CIRCUS DAY BENNINGTON Fri 28 Au

JUST ADDED  
9--Nelson Family--9



## Whitney Theatre TO-DAY PICTURES

The Sob Sister  
Rex 2 reel Drama

## The Mind's Awakening Frontier Drama

Charlie's Toothache  
Comedy

TOMORROW  
ALLAN 3311  
Eclair 3 Reels

### UPHOLSTERING

C. A. Westhoff, practical upholsterer from  
city with J. Ed. Walbridge Co. will be in town  
for two more weeks.  
Persons having anything in the line of up-  
holstering such as furniture, mattresses, cu-  
tains, cushions and slip covers, better see him  
before he leaves. Work done at residence if  
required. Prices reasonable and satisfactory.  
Address: C. A. WESTHOFF, 57 G. O. St., Ben-  
nington, Vt.

### C. NEIGHBOUR SMITH Organist and Choirmaster

St. Peter's Church - Bennington, Vt.  
PUPILS RECEIVED IN  
Piano, Organ and Singing  
Voice Culture a Specialty  
Address: St. Peter's Parish House,  
Bennington, Vt.

### Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA



## Winning The Battle

Your preparedness—which  
should be the natural outcome  
of a well ordered plan—has a  
very important bearing on the results in your  
battles.

We have depositors who are depositing small amounts regu-  
larly and are building slowly and surely for the opportune time.  
A regular plan counts. In 10 years a deposit with this bank of

\$1. a month amounts to \$138.72  
\$1. a week amounts to \$601.24

**FIRST NATIONAL BANK**

## A Local Clothier States His Position

From New York Sun

The price of Fall and Winter cloth-  
ing will probably be advanced from  
10 to 25 per cent, owing to the fact  
that European war has made it im-  
possible for American clothing deal-  
ers to get sufficient aniline dyes so  
necessary in the complete making of  
clothing.

From Wall Street Journal

Twenty years ago practically all  
ingredients used in hat manufacture  
were produced in this country, but  
now chemical dyes have taken the  
place of wood stains used in the '90's  
and all come from Germany.

There is now but about enough to  
keep hat factories running about a  
month and already hat prices have  
been advanced from 15 per cent to  
25 per cent.

From Boston American

One of the first commodities to be  
affected is hat felt. Already prices  
have begun to climb.

From Boston News, Aug. 13 '14.

Eight million pounds of wool  
changed hands in the past week. At  
the higher level of prices brought  
about by the European war there has  
been heavy buying of wool by Ameri-  
can mills. The average advance has  
been 10 per cent. Wool authorities  
look for further advances.

From Haberdasher

All fast color shirting dyes come  
from Germany. There is almost a  
complete cessation of sales of shirt-  
ings pending European develop-  
ments.

From Men's Wear.

It is claimed that there is not more  
than two months stock of raw silk in  
America. Already prices have begun  
to advance.

And so it goes through the entire  
men's and women's wear trade. A  
general boost in prices has already  
come just as it has in food prices but  
not yet as great.

We are fortunate, in that we have  
bought for this fall and winter our  
entire supply of suits, trousers, hats,  
shirts, gloves, neckwear, underwear  
and hosiery. A great deal of these  
goods are in and balance almost  
ready to ship.

Not a piece of goods—not an ar-  
ticle of furnishings or hats but that  
was purchased before the war broke  
out and we own all of it right.

Now we promise you that no mat-  
ter how great an advance there is

Our prices will not go up on one  
single thing this Fall and Winter.

Not a thing in this stock will be  
advanced over normal prices during  
the entire season, that you may de-  
pend on.

Rather do we expect to sell a little  
lower in suits and overcoats to help  
you out on the higher cost of your  
groceries.

This is a time when every mer-  
chant should do his best to keep  
prices within bounds. It is a time  
when those of us who were fortunate  
enough to get a seasons goods be-  
fore the war advance should pass our  
good luck along to the public who  
has helped us build up a large  
and prosperous business.

We're in hopes of being in busi-  
ness in Bennington at least 100 more  
years and this is the time to demon-  
strate to you that we're fair with  
you in cloudy times as well as  
when the sun's shining.

Chas. G. Cole.

### ENGAGE FOOTBALL COACH

James A. Turner of Chicago to Train  
University of Vermont

The athletic council of the Uni-  
versity of Vermont has engaged James  
A. Turner of Chicago, Ill., as coach  
for football at the university this fall.  
For the past few years Mr. Turner  
has been playing professional foot-  
ball each season and it is thought  
that the university has selected a  
strong man for the position. He will  
arrive in Burlington September 10,  
to be there for early practice, which  
begins on the 15th.

Mr. Turner played on the Eagle-  
wood high school team of Chicago,  
which is the equal if not superior to  
many of those of eastern colleges.  
He also played with the Northwest  
ern University team under O'Connor  
of Dartmouth. He coached Norwich  
in '06, '07, '08 and '09. During that  
time he turned out a team which won  
from Holy Cross, Wesleyan, Amherst,  
Fordham, Middlebury, St. Lawrence  
and scored on Brown. He left Nor-  
wich in '09 and went West, where he  
was engaged on the coaching staffs  
of several colleges, including North-  
western University. For the past few  
years he has been connected with var-  
ious lines of athletics, playing profes-  
sional football each season. He is a  
backfield man, quarterback being his  
position.

## BENNINGTON BRIEFS

News of the Town and Village Told Briefly  
for Busy Readers.

Miss Muriel Miller is assisting at  
the Drysdale store.

Miss Frances Ryan of Dewey  
street is visiting in Rutland.

Mrs. Flora Bates and daughter Mil-  
dred are at Lake Shaftsbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert E. Dumas  
have returned from their wedding  
trip.

Miss Florence Shea has returned  
to North Adams after a visit to Mrs.  
Gladys Miller.

Mrs. Alfred Van Wert of Schaghti-  
cote is visiting her sister, Mrs.  
Frank Sigwarth.

Miss Theresa Connors, who has  
been a guest of Miss Tillie Hervey  
has returned to North Adams.

Mrs. A. Houle of Troy, who has  
been the guest at the home of Dr.  
and Mrs. A. E. Houle, has returned.

Misses Bibian and Jeanette Houle  
are spending the week in Troy, the  
guests of their aunt, Mrs. A. Houle.

Mrs. E. J. Swan and her guests, Mr.  
and Mrs. Frank Hyde of Elmira are  
spending a few days camping in  
Woodford.

Miss Freda Jennings, who has been  
visiting in town, has returned to Rut-  
land. She was accompanied by Miss  
Zada Nichols.

Mrs. A. O. Cummins and grandson,  
Paul Howe, of South street left this  
morning for a visit with relatives at  
Queen City Park and Montpelier.

Mrs. Flora Maddocks of Boston  
and Mrs. H. J. Montgomery of North  
Adams were recent guests at the  
home of C. H. Sibley of School street.

Mothers are particularly invited to  
the doll fete on the playground to-  
morrow afternoon. The parade of  
decorated doll carriages and express  
carts will start about 2:30.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lennon and  
son of Pittsfield passed the week end  
with Louis Northouse at the Putnam  
house. Mrs. Lennon was formerly  
Miss Florence Northouse of Benning-  
ton.

Mrs. Margaret J. Sibley entertained  
at dinner Sunday her uncle and  
aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar S. Hastings,  
and their four daughters of Cheshire,  
Mass., and two young ladies from  
New York city.

Miss W. Ursula Frost, who has  
been visiting in New Jersey and  
Brooklyn for several weeks, will re-  
turn Wednesday and will be the  
guest of Mrs. Robert H. Merrill of  
Old Bennington for the balance of  
the season.

"The Coaching Party of the Coun-  
tess," the sixth series of "The Mil-  
lion Dollar Mystery" detective story  
by Harold McGrath, now running in  
most every prominent newspaper,  
will be shown at the Library theatre  
today. Adv.

### NATIONAL G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT

To Be Held in Detroit First Week in  
September

Edward Baker, department com-  
mander of the Vermont G. A. R., has  
issued general orders containing in-  
formation relative to the national en-  
campment that will be of interest to  
Vermont veterans.

The 48th National Encampment  
Grand Army of the Republic will be  
held at Detroit, Mich., August 31st to  
September 5th, 1914.

Headquarters of the Department of  
Vermont will be located at Hotel  
Griswold, Detroit, Mich., and will be  
opened August 31st, where all Com-  
rades and their friends are cordially  
invited to call and register, and will  
be welcome at all times.

The official route will be by the  
Central Vermont via the Grand  
Trunk Railways. A pullman tourist  
sleeper, as Headquarters car will  
leave Montpelier, Saturday, August  
29th, at 6:00 P. M., and arrive at De-  
troit, Sunday afternoon at 1:53 P. M.

Price for sleeper accommodations,  
upper berth, \$1.60; lower berth, \$2.00.  
These berths can be occupied by two  
people in upper and lower berth if de-  
sired or absolutely necessary, the par-  
ties occupying them dividing the ex-  
pense.

The rate for the round trip from

### STOP SUFFERING FROM ASTHMA OR HAY FEVER

If Asthmador does not instantly re-  
lieve the very worst attacks of Asth-  
ma, Bronchial Asthma and the Asth-  
matic symptoms accompanying Hay  
Fever your money will be returned, is  
the terms upon which W. L. Gokay,  
Bennington, Vt., announces they are  
selling Dr. Rudolph Schiffmann's  
Asthmador and Asthmador Cigarettes.  
No matter how inveterate or obsti-  
nate your case, or how often or vio-  
lently the attacks, Asthmador will in-  
stantly relieve you, usually in ten sec-  
onds but always within fifteen min-  
utes.

These Druggists have been author-  
ized by the Doctor to sell every pack-  
age of his Asthmador on a guarantee  
to return the money in every single  
case where it does not give instant-  
aneous relief, or is not found the very  
best remedy ever used. You will be  
the sole judge yourself and under  
this positive guarantee by W. L. Go-  
kay absolutely no risk is run in buy-  
ing this remedy.

Persons living elsewhere will be  
supplied under the same guarantee  
by their local druggist or direct by  
Dr. R. Schiffmann, St. Paul, Minn.

## R. C. REYNOLDS

Complete  
Home Furnisher

TROY—TWO STORES—ALBANY

## THE BIG AUGUST TRADE SALE NOW MAKES ITS BOW

R. C. REYNOLDS BIG AUGUST TRADE SALE STARTED SATURDAY

The prime reason for holding this sale is to make more friends for this already widely known  
Furniture establishment, one of the largest stores devoted exclusively to complete home furnishing,  
in this great Empire state.

In addition to an army of old patrons—who fully appreciate the importance of this occasion—there  
will be hundreds of new customers in attendance whose trade is worth making strenuous efforts to  
secure, for we realize the value of the adage that "Once a customer, always a customer."

Last year we held a Big August Trade Sale which proved a revelation to hundreds of buyers. It  
placed Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, Lace Curtains and Drapery Stuffs, China, Glass and Household  
Utility Wares and Stoves of the highest standards in many homes at prices so low that they who  
bought were not only gratified, but very much astonished.

In this August Trade Sale we wish to exceed the sales of a year ago. Now the values are better,  
Now the varieties are greater. The greatest story of under-pricing that we ever told is in prepara-  
tion. Watch windows.

FOOT NOTE.—Goods bought at this sale will be stored free of charge and delivery made later in the  
Fall, or when desired. A small payment at time of purchase is all that is necessary, and you re-  
ceive the benefits accruing from this once a-year sale.

## R. C. REYNOLDS

Everything  
That a Home Wears

Monument Square  
36-38 North Pearl Street

Troy, N. Y.  
Albany, N. Y.

White River Junction and all points  
on the line of the Central Vermont  
Railroad will be \$25.35, tickets to be  
good going August 28th to 30th, and  
good returning to reach original start-  
ing point not later than September  
15th, 1914.

The Rutland Railroad will issue  
tickets from all stations on their  
lines in Vermont, round trip fare,  
\$25.35 from all points, good going  
August 28th to 30th, and good return-  
ing to starting point not later than  
September 15th, 1914. In going,  
leave on train to connect with head-  
quarters train at Essex Junction at  
7:15 p. m.

It is desired that all those intend-  
ing to attend the national encamp-  
ment, that they join headquarters  
train at the most convenient point. It  
is hoped that all who can will take  
this trip to Detroit, for from infor-  
mation received at these headquarters,  
we expect to have a good-sized dele-

gation.

A communication received from  
Comrade E. F. Rand, Adjutant of  
Fairbanks Post, No. 17, G. A. R., De-  
troit, announce that he has made all  
arrangements for a room in G. A. R.  
building for the purpose of holding a  
session of all Vermont soldiers at the  
national encampment on Tuesday  
morning, September 1st, at 9 o'clock  
a. m., and it is hoped and expected  
that all Vermont soldiers and their  
friends will be sure to attend.

The following additional appoint-  
ments as Aides-de-Camp are hereby  
announced:  
Hiram L. Russell, Post 71, Cabot,  
Albert George, Post 25, Hardwick,  
Andrew Morgan, Post 63, West Con-  
cord.

George H. Waldron, Post 43, Spring  
field,  
J. O. Wright, Post 82, Woodstock,  
Milton N. Dodge, Post 86, Essex  
Junction.

The only place in town to buy

### BATAVIA TIRES

Guaranteed 5000 Miles  
Vermont Garage & Machine Co.  
137 North St., Bennington.

### F. L. Potter

Livery and Town Sheds  
Rigs to let at reasonable prices. Rubber  
Tire and delivery wagon for sale  
Entrance from West Main St.

### DR. ROLLIN D. JENNEY

DENTIST  
WILL BE IN  
ADVISED MANCHESTER CENTER, MONDAY

## "THE OLD STORE"—TROY

## FLOOR COVERINGS

At Emphatic Reduction

Most Desirable Rugs, Linoleums and Other Floor Coverings at  
Very Real Savings To-Day.

### NOTE THE SCHEDULE

HARDWICK WILTON RUGS—9x12 ft.—  
Regular value \$42.00—Sale price,

**\$34.00**

ARTLOOM SEAMLESS WILTON RUGS—  
9x12 ft.—Regular value \$42.00—Sale  
price,

**\$33.50**

SANFORD AXMINSTER RUGS—9x12 ft.—  
Regular value \$27.00—Sale price,

**\$19.00**

SMITH AXMINSTER RUGS—9x12 ft.—  
Regular value \$25.00—Sale price,

**\$16.75**

TAPESTRY BRUSSELS RUGS—9x12 ft.—  
Regular values \$12.00 and \$14.00—  
Sale prices,

**\$9.00 and \$10.75**

REVERSIBLE SHIRVAN RUGS—9x12 ft.—  
Regular value \$11.50—Sale price,

**\$8.95**

(The 9x10 1-2 ft. size, regular value  
\$10.50, sale price \$7.95—The 7 1-2x9 ft.  
size, regular value \$7.50, sale price \$5.95.)

10 ROLLS OF INLAID PLANK LINO-  
LEUM, with color running through to  
back—Slightly imperfect—The regula-  
r Dollar Value. Sale price,

**69c Yd.**

10 ROLLS OF PRO-LINO FLOOR COV-  
ERING, in wood and tile patterns,

**29c Yd.**

G. V. S. Quackenbush & Co., Troy, N. Y.